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Hon. Naomi Reice Buchwald United States District Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

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Re: United States v. Michael Lee; Docket No. 07 Cr. 846 (NPB)

Your Honor:

By this letter, Mr. Lee requests permission to travel to Pennsylvania from Friday. July 4 through Sunday, July 6, 2008. Specifically, Mr. Lee has been invited to spend these days at the home of the of a close friend, Mr. Joseph Cham, at 20 Crest Mountain Drive, Newfoundland, Pennsylvania 18445 (telephone number 570-815-1976).

I have been unsuccessful in contacting Assistant United States Attorney Jonathan B. New to consent to this travel. Previously Mr. Lee was granted permission to visit Mr. Cham during the Deed periods of August 18-19, October 6-8, October 26 -27, 2007, November 24- December 3, 2007, January 26-27, 2008, and May 3-5, 2008.

Thank you for considering this request.

Respectfully yours,

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